

THE ARREARAGES OF PENSIONS.

About two weeks ago we printed an editorial on the pension bill now before Congress, and took the ground that the Cummings bill was a dangerous and an extravagant piece of legislation. We have pretty reliable statistics before us that the cost of paying the arrears of pensions under that bill introduced some time before that of Cummings, of Iowa, will not exceed \$10,000,000; and Mr. J. A. Bentley, Commissioner of Pensions, says that by a possibility can they exceed \$15,000,000. The Chicago Tribune, and several other Western papers, were grossly in error in stating that the bill proposed simply to make a donation of several hundred dollars to the widows and soldiers drawing pensions. The total amount required to pay these arrears was placed in the Tribune and several other journals at from \$175,000,000 to \$200,000,000, whereas the report of the Pension Office to the chairman of the House Committee on pensions, made about one year ago, fixed the total sum necessary to pay the arrear until the bill, at not more than \$10,000,000.

On the subject of these arrears, the Washington National Republican, of last Friday, says: "The measure known as the arrears pension bill seems to challenge an unusual measure of misrepresentation throughout the country. This would not be so if great merit did not attach to it. It seems to be very strong in the House, for the reason that the question of paying arrears of pensions is entrenched in stern justice. It has not been characterized as unjust on the floor of either House of Congress; on the other hand, Senators and Representatives of both political parties have frequently stated that it should be passed, and nearly all the Northern members of both parties have recently voted to suspend the rules that it might be considered and passed, and which would have been accomplished, but for the brigadiers, colonels, and other officers of the Confederate army and Congress on the floor of the House."

As to the measure being pushed through by claim agents and attorney lobbyists for personal gain, the Republican further says: "To show the absurdity of this objection it is only necessary to state the solitary fact that no claim-agent or attorney can be benefited by it, as the bill provides that the pension shall be paid directly from the Government pension agent to the pensioner without any intervention. Another misstatement is that the bill provides for back pay to all living pensioners, whereas but about one-eighth of the number are interested, and these are pensioners who by accident and incident and not infrequently through the fault of the Government itself, were unable to secure their pensions within the limitation of five years, including widows, who could not prove they were widows within that time, as well as those whose papers were pigeon-holed by attorneys and neglected, and others whose papers were destroyed by fire or lost in transmission through the mails—all of whom have been deprived of their rights. There is no pensioner borne upon the rolls of the United States who has not filed medical and other proof in the Pension Office to show that his disease, if pensioned for such, not only originated in the service, but has continued from the time of discharge until the date of application for pension."

The failures, principally mercantile, during the first three months of the present year, make rather a dismal showing. Messrs. Dun, Barlow & Co. report the number of failures since January 1st, 3,353, and the amount of liabilities is estimated at \$82,000,000. According to the report of this firm, there has never been a quarter in which so many failures took place as the one closing with the 31st of March. While some are willing to take this as an evidence of the swift and fearful growth of commercial decay in every section of the country, we think the cause of this decay lies principally in "over-reaching" in business, in extravagant living, in unwise and blind speculation, and in dishonest treasurers like Chase and Hataway, of Fall River, who have stolen from their companies in three years over eleven hundred thousand dollars. A thorough investigation of these so-called "failures" will reveal the fact that a majority of them are brought about by either recklessness or dishonesty, and for the purpose of settling for 25 or 40 cents on the dollar. In China a banker is hanged for failing, and if as rigid laws were applied to defaulters in this country, there would be very few failures. We give the following table of failures for the first quarters of 1878 and 1877:

	1878.	1877.
Eastern States	539	418
Middle States	32,474,666	30,384,354
Southern States	11,699,409	6,666,391
Western States	25,014,081	15,545,398
Pacific States	4,074,336	2,419,539
Total	33,555	26,919

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Eastern States	\$1,016,974	\$6,738,438
Middle States	\$3,474,666	\$3,384,354
Southern States	\$1,699,409	\$6,666,391
Western States	\$25,014,081	\$15,545,398
Pacific States	\$4,074,336	\$2,419,539
Total	\$34,279,866	\$34,754,070

The House of Representatives has been canvassed in regard to the Wood Tariff bill, and it appears there are 135 members for the bill and 156 against it. The canvass is considered reliable, as it was made by an equal number of Republicans and Democrats interested in the bill. If this report be true, there is no danger of its passage, as the majority against it is 21. The analysis of the vote is of much interest, as it shows how unitedly the members from manufacturing States, oppose the bill, and how solidly the South is for it. The 26 members from Pennsylvania, both Democrats and Republicans, are opposed to the measure. Also the entire delegations from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachu-

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THE NEWS.

Prince Gortschakoff Feigning Sickness to Avoid a Meeting with Lord Loftus.

Russia will Occupy Bucharest as a Precautionary Measure.

And will Hold All Her Territorial Acquisitions.

The Great Powers Losing Confidence in England's Diplomacy.

She Must Fight or Wholly Back Down from Her Position.

The Coming Alliance Between the Shermans and Camerons.

The Conspiracy to Recount the Vote of Florida.

Other Interesting State and Miscellaneous Items.

THE EAST.

Gortschakoff's Sickness—Russian Occupation of Bucharest—The Position of England.

LONDON, April 28.—The Herald's special correspondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs that it is reported in that city that Prince Gortschakoff is feigning illness for the purpose of avoiding a meeting with the English ambassador, Lord Loftus, to the end that he may not sacrifice any diplomatic advantages which Russia now possesses. It is also regarded as possible that Russia will today occupy Bucharest, under the pretext that such an act is necessary as a precautionary measure and to insure order.

LONDON, April 28.—There is no material change in the war situation this week. The game of diplomatic chess still proceeds, without definite result. Meantime Russia holds on to her territorial gains, though ready to yield much when it will insure peace. England continues to occupy her position of diplomatic isolation. Her hopes to secure an Austrian alliance have failed, as everybody now admits. Austria cannot afford the responsibility of war, and has nothing to gain by it which she cannot obtain at less expense by non-intervention between England and Russia until hostile blows are actually exchanged, when she can extort from the Czar her own terms. But all the powers are becoming tired of suspicion and distrust, nearly as damaging as war itself. They believe England is temporizing and shuffling, in the hope to wear out Russia's financial power of resistance. This hope is sustained by the failure of efforts to place another Russian loan recently made in Berlin.

The popular impulse for war has somewhat abated here, and the tone of the press is less belligerent. There is a growing feeling that the British Ministry is too purely technical in its objections to Russia's proposals. On the continent this sentiment amounts to a sense of resentment, and England is losing her moral power accordingly. If she persists in war now she will be as completely without sympathy as allies. While it is difficult to see how she can honorably retire from her injudicious commitments to war, calm thinkers still believe she will find her road to peace through Bismarck's aid. The only serious counter-view is based on the British theory that her issue with Russia can only be postponed at best, and that she had better fight now, while Russia is comparatively crippled and exhausted.

CAMERON-SHERMAN.

The Coming Alliance Between the Shermans and the Camerons.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 28.—The coming marriage of Senator Don Cameron to Miss Lizzie Sherman still continues to be the subject of much talk here. The following facts have been ascertained in regard to the preparations, etc.: The wedding will take place a week from next Thursday night, at St. Paul's church, Bishop Bedell, assisted by the Rector, the Rev. N. S. Russell, officiating. The ceremony will take place at 8 o'clock, and the number of invitations issued will be 1,000. After the marriage, a reception to the immediate friends of the family will be held at the residence of Mr. Colgate Hoyt, the brother-in-law, on Case avenue. The arrangements at the church will be very elaborate. Owing to the bridegroom being a widower, there will of course, be no groomsmen. The following is the list of the bridesmaids: Miss Dennison, the daughter of ex-Governor Dennison, the two Misses Sherman, daughters of Secretary Sherman, Miss Andrews of Cincinnati, Miss Julia Parsons and Miss Scatter, of Cleveland. The following gentlemen will act as ushers: L. W. Smith, of St. Louis, the two sons of Senator Blaine, William McMillen, and J. H. Hoyt, of Cleveland, and one other whose name could not be learned. The Senator and his bride leave the same evening for the East.

The Chicago Post will hereafter be conducted by Miss Francis E. Willard, a sister, and Mrs. O. A. Willard widow, of the late Oliver A. Willard, who was editor of the Post for eight years. These ladies will have the editorial and the business management of the paper. They have both ability and experience, and we have the assurance they will succeed. The Post is a good family newspaper and deserves a wide circulation.

The Boston Herald very truly says: "There is more joy in the Chicago Times of day over one man who is alleged to have gone astray than over ninety and nine sinners who are repentant, or just men who need no repentance. Its delight over the latest scandal case is a disgrace to the press."

British agents are traveling through the State buying horses and shipping them to Canada, whence they are re-shipped to England. This seems as if England anticipated a conflict with Russia.

TEMPERANCE.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, April 29.—Mrs. Washington, an earnest worker for years in the field of temperance reform, is in this city, giving a series of interesting addresses on temperance to crowded houses. Since Drew so thoroughly aroused our people on the subject of temperance reform, interest has kept up, and much good has resulted.

WISCONSIN MATTERS.

A Thirty-Thousand Dollar Fire in Fort Atkinson—An Accident—A Religious Lunatic at Racine.

FORT ATKINSON, April 28.—The large wagon factory, in this place, owned by Widman, Wandsneider & Co., was totally destroyed by fire on Friday night. The loss is estimated at \$30,000. It was insured for \$2,500 in the Home Insurance company, and \$1,000 in the Northwestern National.

ELKHORN, Wis., April 28.—A sad accident occurred to John W. Allen, of Linn township, on Friday evening, as follows: He, in company with C. W. Fuller, was engaged in the capture of a litter of wolf whelps burrowed in the bank of a creek, near their homes. Allen went to his supper, and on his return, failing to answer the signal from Fuller, was mistaken in the darkness for a wolf, expected mother of the whelps, and was shot in the body. Fuller's ball entering his back and coming out below the nipple. Medical assistance was soon procured, and from the location of the wound strong hopes are entertained of his recovery.

RACINE, April 28.—This morning while services were being conducted in St. Patrick's church, a Polish woman named Sabensky, entered and took a standing position in the back part of the room. Shortly afterward she fell to the floor, in what appeared to be a fit, which caused great excitement among the congregation. Several gentlemen picked her up, when she commenced yelling frantically, and endeavored to get away. After quieting down a little she was conveyed to her home on North Wisconsin street. Here she again became wild and would have killed her children had they not been taken care of by the neighbors. Within the past few weeks the woman has shown signs of insanity, and it is probable that she is crazy on religion as she has devoted a great deal of time to that cause of late.

Fat Salaries for the Big Wigs.

Although members of Parliament receive no compensation for their services, the judges and other high officers of the principal courts of Great Britain have handsome salaries. One of them receives a salary of \$50,000 per annum; two have \$40,000 each; three have \$35,000 each; five have \$30,000 each; and no less than twenty-nine others receive \$25,000 per year each. The Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain (Lord Cairns) receives the first named salary—\$50,000 in his capacity as judge, and \$20,000 as presiding officer of the House of Peers. His salary is about four times that of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States. The Attorney-General receives \$35,000; the Solicitor-General \$30,000, and the Lord Chancellor of Ireland \$40,000. The Final Court of Appeals in Great Britain is the House of Lords—two judges here receive \$30,000 each per year. The next lower court—Her Majesty's Court of Appeal—besides several judges, who are members of the Court of exchequer, has six others, of whom one receives \$30,000, and the other five \$25,000 each. In the Queen's Bench Division, Lord Chief Justice Cockburn, with \$40,000, has four associate or Puisne Judges with \$35,000 each. In the Common Pleas Division, Lord Chief Justice Colridge, with \$35,000, has four Associate or Puisne Justices, with \$25,000 each, and lastly, in the Exchequer Division, Lord Chief Baron Kelly, with a salary of \$35,000, has also four Associate or Puisne Barons at \$25,000 each per year. In the Metropolitan Police Courts one magistrate receives a salary of \$9,000, and twenty-two others \$7,500 each. The dignitaries of the Established Church are quite as well provided for. The Archbishop of Canterbury has a salary of \$75,000 a year, and the entire number of Archbishops and Bishops of the Established Church—about thirty in all—the average salary is over \$25,000 each. The Duke of Marlborough, as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, receives \$100,000 per year, and an additional \$34,900 for the support of his household.

The Democratic Standing.

New York Times.
The Democratic leaders feel so sure of the presidency at the next election that they think it matters not what course they pursue in the intermediate time. They consider that they start out in the contest with a solid South in their favor, and that against such tremendous odds it will be vain for the Republican host to contend. That the Democrats have greatly the advantage in the preference for their party throughout all the slave States is undeniable; yet hardly any odds are so great that they cannot be thrown away. The dissatisfaction among the Democratic masses at the failure to inaugurate Mr. Tilden is quite as general as the confidence in the party; only general but intense. We know that it is not common in this State for Democrats to say, "What is the use of going to the polls? We elected one man and then could get him in." And the distrust felt toward these who were concerned in throwing away the election by agreeing to the Electoral Commission seems likely to be permanent.

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By the paroxysms of chills and fever, the wretched sufferer for whom quinine has been prescribed essays in vain to exterminate the dreadful disease with that hurtful palliative, which at best only mitigates the violence of the fits, and eventually proves highly injurious to the system. In order to effect a thorough cure of malarial fever, whether intermittent or remittent, or to render the system impregnable to its attacks, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters should be used daily. That this medicine is a searching eradicator of diseases generated by miasma, and a reliable safeguard against them, is a fact so widely recognized in this and other countries that to adduce evidence in support of it is unnecessary; but were it either essential or desirable to do so, it may be supposed that from the testimony corroborative of its claims, which has been accumulating during the last twenty-five years and over, sufficient proofs might be gathered to convince the most invertebrate skeptic.

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THE GAZETTE.
MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1897.
Female Places For Hiding Money.
From the Cincinnati Commercial.

Mrs. Hansen put fifty dollars in the oven of her stove one night to keep it safe. Next morning after breakfast the national debt had been decreased exactly that much. A student of the currency would find it interesting to note the places in which women hide their money. One excellent and frugal dame used to tuck her savings away under the corner of the carpet. The tiny roll of greenbacks grew fatter and fatter in the course of a year or two, when the day after the roll counted \$250, the house took fire, burnt to the ground, and again the national debt was diminished by a little roll of women's plain-money. There was that other careful lady, too, who used sometimes to hide her diamond rings between two teacups in the kitchen cupboard, sometimes behind a certain brick in the cellar, and again under the lining of an old hat. She had divers other places of safety for hiding her jewels also, the only trouble being that she had so many hiding places she occasionally forgot where she had last put her precious things, and about every three months would fancy she had been robbed, and the house would be turned inside out, and all therein made uncomfortable until the missing gems would be found carefully tucked away in the folds of the bottom towel in the pile in the left hand corner of the drawer in the clothespress at the east end of the dining room. This periodical excitement about Mrs. McGillicuddy's diamond rings was the only event which broke the monotony of an otherwise rather dull life in a suburban residence.

Long before Mrs. Jeff Davis hid her husband in her water-proof cloak and a poke bonnet, women had an inexhaustible mania for concealing things in odd and unusual ways and places. Shakespeare knew the soul of the sex when he made the Merry Wives of Windsor hide Falstaff in a basket of linen. Their idea is to hide things in places where people would not be apt to look for them. It is unusual, perhaps, for a woman to have much money to take care of, therefore she puts it away in an unusual place. An estimable lady used to hide her gold watch and pocket book under the inverted wash basin in the kitchen, every night. A few days ago a New York woman put her eight hundred dollar diamond ring in the folds of a lace curtain. She put it there because that was a place where thieves wouldn't be apt to look for it. A servant who was dusting the room shook the curtain, and away went the diamond ring out the window, and now its owner mourns for it as one without hope. A most worthy lady died not long since at her home, not a thousand miles from Cincinnati, and after her death the family found a large amount of money hidden away in an ancient band box full of old hats and bonnets. It was her savings for several years, and nobody knew she had it until after she was dead. Whenever a woman dies who, like John Gilpin's wife, "had a frugal mind," her anxious and affectionate heirs will do wisely to look for her savings in all places in which money would not likely be hidden.

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The Rev. Dr. Rutledge, of Edinburgh, although a very clever man, has met his match. When examining a student as to the classes he had attended, he said: "And you attended the classes for mathematics?" "Yes." "How many sides has a circle?" "Two," said the student. "What are they?" What a laugh in the class the student's answer produced when he said: "An inside and outside."

But this was nothing compared with what followed. The doctor having said to this student: "And you attended the philosophy class also?" "Yes." "Well, you would hear lectures on subjects. Did you ever hear one on cause and effect?" "Yes." "Does an effect ever go before a cause?" "Yes." "Give me an instance." "A man wheeling a barrow." "The doctor then sat down, and proposed no more questions.

Casting the Champion Gold Bar.

Helena (Montana) Herald: This afternoon all the preparations having been previously made, the largest gold bar of which there is any record was cast in the assay office of Molitor Bros. in this city. The process of melting, which commenced before midday, consumed several hours, and not until three o'clock was the accumulated mass of refect crowded beneath the lid of the number 100 crucible and reduced to its molten state. The Messrs. Molitor, superintending the work, were assisted by F. Bohm, Messrs. John and Benjamin William stand Mr. L. C. Trent, all of them practical assayers and experts. The crucible, fed with five hundred or more ounces at intervals of thirty minutes, received the last chunk of refect, which specially fused and became a part of the golden liquid.

When the bar was discharged from the mould and lifted into the cooling tank, and its temperature reduced to handling touch, it was taken from the water and a muscular man put to scouring. This labor ended, the bar was lugged to the counter of the front office, the doors thrown open, and the public admitted. In the course of a couple of hours hundreds of eager people hurried to the office to inspect this extraordinary golden specimen.

The dimensions, weight, fineness and value of the bar is as follows:
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The Income Tax Bill.

From the Cleveland Leader.

The report of the Ways and Means Committee, recommending a reduction of eight cents per pound in the tax on tobacco and imposing a tax on incomes, will be recognized as a victory for the Confederate. It is an effort to favor the tobacco interests—an almost exclusively Southern industry—and pile the tax there by relinquishing upon the industry of the North. The present tax on tobacco is twenty-four cents a pound—the new law would reduce this to sixteen cents. In England the tobacco tax is eighty cents a pound, and in France nearly as much. The present tax in this country is remarkably light, and the proposition to restore the inequities and exasperations of the income tax in order that the tobacco tax may be still further reduced, is an affront to the business sense of the country.

The Kind of a Governor "Blue-Jeans Williams Is.

From the Indianapolis Journal, 25th.

Governor Williams is a very useful man—in his way. He shines with much lustre at agricultural fairs and bull shows. He is perfectly at home with the chickens, the ducks and the geese at poultry displays, and recently at a baby show he and the prize cherub were rival attractions. Not until last night, however, did he have a chance to show up to his greatest advantage. A 10-cent walking match afforded him an opportunity he long had sought, and mourned because he found it not, and he arose to the dignity of the occasion. It was the proudest moment of his long and arduous career when he stood up seven feet high and gave the word "go" to the panting pedestrians. A chance to participate in a dog fight or a rat-killing match would fill the measure of his happiness. Great country, this.

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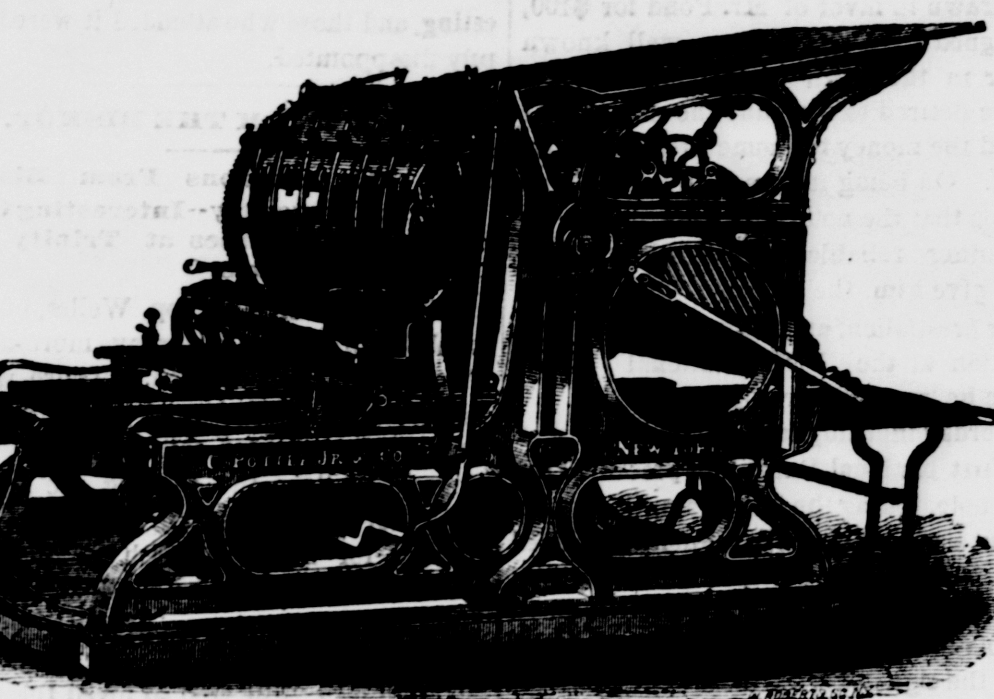
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For Monroe... 7:45 p. m.
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THE GAZETTE.

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1878.
CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEFLETS.

The women are having a scrub race this weather.

See advertisement of a fine residence for rent, in another column.

The real-estate market is heavy. It has been watered too much.

Yesterday was Low Sunday, which accounts perhaps for the low-ery weather.

There will be an important and interesting meeting of the Boat Club this evening.

Burt Robbins' show starts out on the road tomorrow and will open up at Elkhorn on Wednesday next. This city is being billed to-day for the 15th.

This morning the young ones forsook their mud-pies and mibs and the mothers sat down and gave a sigh of relief, for the schools open, and the house will be quiet again.

Poor man, he has no place to put the sole of his foot. He has either to stand out in the mud or else run a blockade of broom sticks as he tries to get in out of the wet, where the floors have just been scrubbed.

Some heartless and probably hatless individual stole Sergeant Childers' hat while the latter was advocating cold-water last night. If he wants to have a head put on him to fit the hat, he had better interview the Sergeant.

The Young Men's Christian Association of this district, will hold a convention in this city May 8th, 9th, and 10th. The day sessions will be held in the rooms of the Association, and the evening sessions at the Court Street church.

Next Wednesday evening there will be an open session of Pleasant Grove Temple of Honor. The elegant bible purchased by the ladies will be presented to the Temple at that time. Hon. J. B. Cassady having been engaged to make the presentation speech.

To-morrow night the committee having in charge the subscription for the erection of a monument to commemorate the bravery of the late Thomas F. Lawler, will meet in the Council Chamber. Next Saturday morning at 8 o'clock requiem high mass will be celebrated for him in St. Patrick's church.

At the meeting of the Round Table next Wednesday evening the subject of discussion will be "Fiction." Papers will be presented by Messrs. Rexford, H. McElroy, J. B. Doe, B. F. Dunwiddie, Rev. J. W. Sanderson, and Miss A. I. Hobart. Exercises will commence promptly at a quarter before eight o'clock.

A man who ought to have a red ribbon but who hasn't, was determined to-day to have a little time of it with the boys. His wife determined he shouldn't and bravely and persistently followed him from one place to another. The man got mad, and it is said went so far as to kick his wife, and use violent language to her. Almost too tough to be true.

For the first time in the history of the Janesville fire department, the fire committee of the Common Council will, on to-morrow evening, make an official inspection of the different companies, houses and apparatus. The members of the department feel highly pleased at this official recognition, and the committee will be well received in going the rounds.

There is no gang at work on the streets now. The boys have concluded that their pride will not permit them to wear a ball and chain, and they refused to go out unless relieved of the disgrace. The jail authorities have put the boys in their cells and are giving them bread and water until they change their minds. They don't like to be obliged to keep fast, either by dieting, or to keep fast by balls and chains.

Beside the sick bed of Mr. Tallman in New York a few days ago there gathered his two brothers and his sister, who met together thus for the first time in forty-five years. Another remarkable fact is that though their ages are 65, 67, 70, and 74 years, yet this is the first very serious illness suffered by any of them during their lifetimes. According to the latest advices there is but little change in Mr. Tallman's condition.

At Court street church last evening, several gentlemen lost their seats by trying to be over-polite. They would get up and step into the aisle to let a lady occupy the only remaining seat in the pew, when two or three more of the fair ones would crowd in, and completely shut the polite gentleman out. The way now commonly adopted in the large cities is preferable, and is deemed more polite as well as more politic. Let the gentleman either sit still and let the lady pass him, or still better, let him move along, and give the room at the end of the pew to the latest arrivals.

By a Salt Lake paper just received it appears that Rev. W. Carver, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in Clinton, and for years connected with this district, is busily engaged in Tooele county, Utah, preaching some startling sermons on polygamy, and baptism for the dead. He is at the head of a little Methodist society formed there, and Mrs. Carver conducts a Kindergarten which is in quite a prosperous condition. Rev. Mr. Carver recently preached an anti-Mormon sermon in Salt Lake city, which created such comment that a reputation has been asked for.

A FORGED NOTE.

A Young Man Tries the Crooked Business on the Banks.

Being Detected He Harries Out of the City.

A bold attempt to obtain money upon a forged note came to light last Saturday. About ten days ago a young man about 25 years old, whose name is not yet to be given to the public, entered the Rock County National Bank and presented to the teller a note drawn in favor of Mr. Pond for \$100, and signed by Orson Cox, a well known farmer in the town of Fulton. He said that he desired to discount the note as he needed the money for some pressing emergency. On being informed by the bank officials that the note must be endorsed by two other reliable persons before they could give him the money, he departed rather crestfallen, and made a similar application at the First National Bank, where he met a like reply.

Saturday morning last, he reappeared at the First National Bank, and presented the same note, telling the teller, Mr. Croft, that he had secured the endorsement required of H. Bentley, a prominent man living in Edgerton, and Mr. Wm. Clayworth, also a reliable resident of that town. Croft looked at the signatures on the back of the note with suspicion, and having had some business with Mr. Bentley, he was familiar with that gentleman's handwriting. He did not think that the signature was genuine, and spoke to the young man about the queerness of the penmanship. The young man explained it by saying that Mr. Bentley wrote it while standing up against a dry goods box, which perhaps made the writing seem rather tremulous. This story appeared rather gauzy, and the young man was sent out with the instruction to get some one to identify him, and to vouch for the correctness of the signatures.

In the meantime the officers were put on scent of the game, and while they were hunting about the city for the young man, they met Mr. Orson Cox, the alleged signer of the note, who emphatically denied ever having given such a document.

The young man also saw Mr. Cox, but he did not stop to speak to him. He hadn't time, and did not feel inclined to do so. He began to feel the pinch before the hands of justice could clutch his coat collar, and he unceremoniously skipped out of the city, and has not yet been seen. He will probably keep clear of the city, at least for a season.

BURGULARS AT WORK.

They Break Into a Hardware Store and Escape with Considerable Plunder.

Last Saturday night some unknown persons succeeded in effecting an entrance into the hardware store of J. S. O. Soper, of Milton, by using a jimmy to pry open the front door. They helped themselves to revolvers, and cutlery to the extent of \$100, and quietly left the town. The burglary was not discovered until yesterday morning. Two suspicious looking personages reached this yesterday, and stopped at the Norris house, and told about the burglary which had been committed. They then started soon after for Beloit. Officer Marsh, suspecting that they knew more than they ought to about the matter, hurried after them and arrested them in Beloit. They were searched but nothing was found upon them to indicate that they had been mixed up in the thievery.

THE TIDE OF TIED ONES.

It Fills Court Street Church to Overflowing—A Large Temperance Demonstration Last Evening.

Court Street church was literally packed last evening by red-ribbonters and others interested in the cold-water cause. In the church proper Mr. E. L. Dimock presided. Rev. J. W. Sanderson assisted in the opening exercises. Dr. McCollister gave one of his enthusiastic and thrilling addresses, probably the best he has yet delivered in the city. The church being so crowded, the address seemed a little tedious toward the last owing to its length. A little more attention to brevity would doubtless be an improvement in all these meetings. At the close of the speech a large number crowded about the desk, and invited deft fingers to decorate their button-holes with the red.

The singing furnished by the choir was inspiring, and in parts was really grand. Besides the gospel hymns three anthems were sung, one being "Deus Miserere," by J. R. Thomas, another "Cantata Domino," by Thomas, the soprano solo in which was most excellently rendered by Mrs. St. John, and the bass solo, by Mr. John Wingate and Mr. J. R. Bennett. The anthem "Mighty Jehovah," from Bellini, was also given, the tenor solo being well rendered by Mr. D. D. Bennett.

The following composed the choir, Mrs. J. D. King presiding at the organ: Soprano—Mrs. St. John, Mrs. Wingate, Miss Lizzie Blinn, Miss Helen Blinn, Miss Estella Griswold, Miss Ella Peterson, Miss Marion Willey, Miss Myra Bliss, Miss Ada Holdrege, Miss Frankie Wheeler, Miss Florence Loudon, Miss Mary Collins, Miss Addie Carpenter, Miss Mamie Hair.

Alto—Miss Martha Willey, Mrs. Charles E. Church, Mrs. H. Ebbets, Miss Fannie Lynn, Miss Ada Pond.

Bass—John Wingate, J. R. Bennett, H. G. Arnold, Clarence Clark, G. A. Libbey.

Tenor—D. D. Bennett, M. M. Conant.

The crowd was so large as to necessitate the holding of an overflow meeting in the lower part of the church. The Sunday School room was no less crowded than the church above. The only fault of the arrangements was the lack of music, which seemed to be monopolized up stairs. Sergt. Childers gave a stirring address, in which he related some of the bitter experiences through which he had passed. His description of the horrors of delirium tremens was startlingly vivid, and such as only a man who has felt the horrors could give.

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